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Atty. Docket No. SIC-00-001-4

In re application of: KENJI OSE

Application No. 09/992,597

Filed: November 14, 2001

Group Art Unit: 3682

For: SWITCH STYLE BICYCLE SHIFT CONTROL DEVICE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Commissioner:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Enclosed is a petition to extend time to respond.  
☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.  
☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.  
☒ Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 with copies of cited references.  
☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503).

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INDEP.	2	MINUS	3	0
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SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDIT. FEE
x9=	\$
x42=	\$
+140=	\$
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$

OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDIT. FEE
5x18=	\$90
x84=	\$
+280=	\$
TOTAL	\$90

☐ No fee is due.

☒ Claims fee \$ 90

☐ Extension of time fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

☒ IDS fee \$ 180

☒ A check for \$ 270 is enclosed.

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Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 5, 2002, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 34 as follows:

34. (Amended) A bicycle shift control device comprising:  
a base member;  
a rotatable dial coupled to the base member for rotation around a rotational axis;  
a finger contact projection extending from the rotatable dial in a direction of the rotational axis;  
wherein the finger contact projection is structured to prohibit the extension of a finger between all portions of the finger contact projection and the rotatable dial; and  
a shift element coupler disposed with the rotatable dial.

Please add the following new claims:

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